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DATE OF POOL DRIVE CHANGED

Week's Intensive Campaign For Members, Scheduled For Monday Is Postponed

NO REASONS MADE KNOWN

The whirlwind drive for new members of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, which had been set for next week, beginning Monday, March 13, has been postponed, it was announced at the offices of the association. The time of the drive will be announced later.

County chairmen and workers, however, will go on with the signing of any grower who may desire to join the association, and it was said that as members of the association have allowed information as to the sales of the association and its inner workings to become known, there has been a steady accession to the ranks of the organized growers from those who failed to sign the co-operative contract last fall.

The reasons for the postponement of the drive was not made known, but a hint at "important developments" that are expected soon was given, though it was not indicated what these developments would be.

Mr. James C. Stone, President of the Co-operative Marketing Association, said that the business of the association was going on smoothly, that not a single member of the association had appeared dissatisfied, and, in his opinion, the new system of marketing tobacco had "come to stay."

NO QUORUM PRESENT

Owing to the lack of a quorum the meeting of stockholders of the Bourbon Oil & Development and the Co-operative Land & Development Companies, called for Tuesday afternoon by Chas. B. Mitchell, was postponed.

The meeting was called by Mr. Mitchell, as Chairman of the Executive Committee of the stockholders, to be held at the court house, for the purpose of considering ways and means of effecting some kind of settlement with the creditors of the companies. Hooker Stivers, of Lexington, bookkeeper for C. C. Bosworth, receiver for the companies, was present. It is likely another meeting will be held soon.

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BASKET BALL

The basket ball team of the Fort Thomas High School visited Paris, Wednesday night, and carried away the winning end of a 27 to 22 score against the Paris High School five. The game was played on the Y. M. C. A. floor, in the presence of a large crowd of interested and enthusiastic followers of the game. The set-to-between the teams was hard fought and contested all along the line. On several occasions the score was tied, and victory sat cross-eyed on the fence, likely to fall on either side at any time. Tucker starred for the Paris team, scoring eighteen points. Paris High has only three more games scheduled for this season.

The arena will be occupied tonight by a contest between the Bourbon and Georgetown Posts American Legion teams. Between the halves teams representing the "Fatty Arbuckle" and "Oh Skinny" members of the Bourbon Post will stage a burlesque game, guaranteed to out-do Snub Pollard's most comical stunts.

An extra five minutes was allowed to play off a 21-21 tie and the Fort Thomas lads took advantage of it and rang up three counters, making the final score 6 points ahead of Paris. The P. H. S. boys go to Maysville to-day to play the boys there, whom they defeated in Paris by the small margin of 15 to 14. A crowd of "rooters" will make the trip.

Basil Hayden, of Paris, continues to occupy a prominent place in athletics. The Lexington Herald's sporting writer says:

"Last year four University of Kentucky players were named on the All-Southerners. This year the same four players went back to Atlanta, and none of them retained his position. Sentencing players to places on all-tournament teams, of course, is all done on circumstantial evidence. If those scribes had seen Basil Hayden play all his games this season, they would have wanted to slap him on the all-American. But Hayden was injured in the first game of the tournament and forthwith Kentucky bought tickets for Lexington."

At a meeting of the Athletic Council of Kentucky University, held at the Phoenix Hotel, in Lexington, Wednesday night, Bobby Lavin and Basil Hayden, of Paris, stars on the U. of K. basketball team, were awarded the official University letters, "K." Lavin is eligible for another season, but will graduate in June.

CANVASS FOR FUNDS TO BUY MEMORIAL HOME.

On Sunday afternoon, March 19, committees and solicitors representing the Bourbon County Soldiers Memorial Association, will inaugurate a canvass for funds with which to complete the purchase of the John T. Collins home, at the corner of Broadway and High streets. An option was obtained on the property some time ago, and it has been decided to raise the remainder of the money necessary to purchase the place. The home will be used jointly as a soldiers' memorial home and Community House, for the purposes which were outlined in the initial moves made for purchase of the property.

Over one hundred solicitors have volunteered their services for this canvass. They will be placed under the supervision of committees and captains, whose names will be announced later through the columns of the local press. Interest in the memorial is growing steadily, and it is safe to say that the necessary sum will be raised in a hurry, and the project placed on a safe financial footing.

BOYS ESCAPE FROM HOUSE OF REFORM

Bourbon county authorities were asked yesterday to keep a lookout for two boys, George Strong, 18 years old, of Louisville, and Leo Killmer, of Dayton, Ky., who escaped from the Hospital at the Glendale House of Reform, Wednesday.

The boys were thought to have headed for Cincinnati and police and county authorities between Lexington and Cincinnati were notified and given a description. No trace of the runaways was found here.

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BURLEY LOAN PAID BANKERS

Co-operative Marketing Association Settles Obligations Totalling \$5,600.00, Two Months Before Due

GOOD SALES MADE IT POSSIBLE

Checks for the second half of the loan of \$5,600.00 made by bankers of the burley tobacco district to the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, February 1, were mailed to the lenders Wednesday by Secretary H. L. Earley, of the Association, the first half of the loan, which was originally negotiated for ninety days, having been paid off about ten days ago.

Mr. Earley said the finances of the Association, due to the sales of the Association's holdings at good prices, were in such condition as to permit the paying-off of this loan and that the remarkable success of the Association in the short time it has been in business made it possible for it to settle its obligations before their maturity.

Chairman of the Finance Committee Charles N. Manning said that bankers of the burley district were entitled to credit for what they had done in evidencing their confidence in the new system of marketing.

"The loyalty of the bankers has been one of the most pleasing features of the co-operative marketing of burley tobacco so far," said Mr. Manning, "and they deserve the gratitude of the organized growers for the confidence they have manifested in the new system, which has been the means of enlisting the confidence of business men generally, as well as of the growers who so often depend on their bankers for advice."

President and General Manager James C. Stone, of the Association, discussing the re-payment of the loan, said:

"It is very gratifying to all of us, who joined the Association, that it is able to make this excellent showing financially within so short a time, and we are deeply grateful to the bankers and business element generally, who saw at the start the importance of the co-operative marketing of tobacco to every business interest in the district and made it possible for us to go ahead with our work with the certainty that the crop of 1921 would be financed properly and amply."

"The growers who have stood by the Association through thick and thin, who have waited patiently for their money and who have backed up their officials loyally in what has been done so far for their interests, also deserve and have our gratitude."

"That we have made a splendid start in co-operative marketing of burley tobacco is not to be disputed. It we stand together in the future as we have for the past two months, and I haven't a doubt that we shall, the continued success of the Association is assured."

The receipt of a number of additional contracts, signed by growers of Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky, who did not join the Association last fall, was announced at the offices of Chief of the Field Division Joseph Passonneau. The number of acres signed, was not announced as the figures had not been tabulated.

MORMON TEMPLE SECRETS

The Rev. Oakley R. Miller will make two addresses in this community on Sunday, March 12. The first address will be delivered on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist church, when he will talk to men only, on "Mormon Temple Secrets;" the second will be at the Presbyterian church, at 7:30 o'clock for everybody, men and women, on the subject, "The Truth About Mormonism." He knows all about it, and those who have heard him say that he tells all about it as completely as any one can in the same length of time.

Mr. Miller was an elder in the Mormon church. Becoming convinced of its fraudulent claims he left the church and studied for the ministry and is now a preacher of the Baptist faith. He held the pastorate of the Immanuel Baptist church, Dorchester district, Boston, Massachusetts, for three years, ending July, 1921. Because of his fearlessness in exposing the blasphemies and disloyalties of the Mormons, Mr. Miller has been pursued by the most bitter enmity which this intriguing sect can devise; but he continues his work under the auspices of the National Reform Association, speaking before large congregations everywhere and winning general commendation of the spirit of his work and of his motive in performing his necessary labor.

If a man has religion he doesn't have to tell you about it. You'll find it out otherwise.

SENATE PASSES THOMPSON BILL

Speaker's Taxation Bill Goes Through The Senate In An Unexpected Victory 21 to 16

ONLY ONE AMENDMENT MADE

The tax bill of Speaker Thompson scored an unexpected victory in the Senate Tuesday afternoon. The vote was 21 to 16.

The bill went through with but one amendment. This one increases the tax on farm lands and town lots from thirty to thirty-five cents. Under the present law the tax is forty cents.

The bill traveled a precarious road to victory. When the house passed it, several representatives said they voted affirmatively in compliment to the Speaker and didn't feel at all cut up about it "because the Senate would kill it anyway."

Now the Senate has passed the bill to the Governor. Half a dozen Senators declared that they were compelled to vote for anything that looked like a tax reduction move. "Of course the Governor will veto it," they say.

Mr. Thompson devoted much time to campaigning for the bill. He put the issue squarely up to both branches of the General Assembly and no member of either branch relished the homeward return and the saying to constituents, "I voted against reducing the tax on farm lands from 40 to 35 cents." This is the angle that salvaged the bill from perdition.

The bill depletes the State treasury \$1,500,000 annually and gives approximately this amount to counties annually. It raises the rate off intangibles from 40 to 60 cents and permits the counties to keep one-half of the tax. Senator Daugherty sought to amend the bill so that the counties would be denied the right to impose the 30-cent tax on livestock and intangibles but the amendment lost by 25 to 10. The vote for increasing the rate of farm land and town lots from 30 to 35 cents was 24 to 13.

REAL ESTATE DEALS

In the list of real estate transfers recorded in the office of the Fayette County Clerk at Lexington, Wednesday, was the following:

B. T. Mattox and wife, of Fayette county, to Floyd Mattox, of Bourbon county, a farm of 81.89 acres on the Greenwich pike for \$11,000.

Garrison Bros., of Covington, Ky., bought of W. A. Thomason, his farm of 194 acres in this county adjoining the lands of E. P. Weathers, N. F. Brent and Robt. Bell, at \$150 an acre. The farm was originally owned by O. L. Vanmeter.

Ray Handley purchased of Samuel Hinkle his sixty-acre farm, located on the Peyton Lick pike, near the Levy, for \$6,000. The purchaser will be given immediate possession.

Manson Fletcher bought of Wallace Terrill, a farm of ninety acres, with improvements, located on the Bunker Hill pike, for \$200 an acre. Mr. Fletcher will be given immediate possession. The farm adjoins the farm of Fletcher Bannister, on the Little Rock and Mt. Sterling pike.

The Paris Realty Co., agents for Ben Harp, sold yesterday his farm of thirty acres, located on the Peacock pike, near Paris, to Edward Doyle, of Georgetown, for \$250 an acre. Mr. Doyle will get possession at once and will move to the property to reside.

Frank P. Kiser purchased of the Mrs. Fannie Hardy estate, twenty-five acres of land located between Centerville and Jacksonville at a private price. The land adjoins a one hundred-acre farm owned by Mr. Kiser.

LODGE NOTES

At the regular meeting of Bourbon Lodge I. O. O. F., Monday night the First Degree was conferred on Jesse H. Parker. A large crowd was present to witness the impressive work of the degree team.

Miss Hattie Alley, Assistant Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., of Kentucky, will deliver an address to the Odd Fellows and Rebekas of the county, in the Bourbon I. O. O. F. lodge room at Main and Fifth streets, on Monday evening, March 13, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. All visiting members in the city are invited to be present. Miss Alley was a former ward of the Odd Fellows Home, in Lexington.

There are men in every community who surprise the neighbors occasionally by doing the right thing.

MATRIMONIAL

A Record of Dan Cupid's Doings As The Days Go By

STANHOPE—YOUNG

At his residence at the corner of Main and Tenth, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. E. Ellis, pastor of the Paris Christian church, performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Richard J. Young, 33, and Miss Leona Stanhope, 25, both of Lexington. Mr. and Mrs. Young returned to Lexington after the ceremony.

YERKES—GRAYSON

Paris friends and relatives have received announcement of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Yerkes, of Glendale, Calif., to Mr. Walter A. Grayson, of Los Angeles. The wedding will take place on April 6, at the home of the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. W. L. Yerkes.

Miss Yerkes is the charming daughter of the late Prof. W. L. Yerkes and Mrs. Maria Woodford Yerkes, formerly of Paris, her father having been Mayor of Paris, a distinguished educator and for several terms National Bank Examiner. Her mother moved to California some years ago, where she has since lived. She is a sister of the late Mrs. Henry May, who died at her home in this county some years ago, and of Mr. John W. Yerkes, assistant cashier of the Farmers' and Traders' Bank, of Paris, and a niece of Catesby and Benj. Woodford, of Bourbon county, and Hon. John W. Yerkes, former Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and at one time Republican candidate for Governor of Kentucky. Mr. Grayson holds a responsible position with the Chamber of Commerce at Los Angeles, and is a young man of high character and ability.

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VIOLATORS WILL BE SUED

Suits Will Be Filed By Tobacco Growers Organization Against Breakers of Contracts

STATEMENT BY ATTORNEY

Preparations are being made to file within the next few days suits against members of the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association who have broken their contracts by selling their tobacco outside the association. Assistant General Counsel Virgil Chapman, of Paris and Lexington, announced Wednesday. The actual filing of the suits will await the return of General Counsel Aaron Sapiro to Kentucky. Mr. Sapiro is spending this week at Toronto, at the request of the government of the province of Ontario, advising producers of the province in formation of co-operative associations similar to the burley association and others with the organization of which he has been connected.

Contracts still are coming in to the offices of Chief of the Field Service Joseph Passonneau in Tattersalls warehouse, though the final drive for members has been postponed. It was to have begun next Monday. County chairmen, however, are going on with their work of personal solicitation of every grower not yet signed and as a result the new contracts are running from 25 to 50 a day.

Richard T. Turner, business manager of a New York tobacco trade journal, was in Lexington, Tuesday, and called on President James C. Stone of the burley association. He had been on a tour of the South and said that everywhere he went he found co-operative marketing the chief subject for discussion among tobacco men and that the success of the burley association had surprised its opponents.

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